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(Case No. 00-448-A)

In the Application of:

Rodgers, et al.

Serial No.: 09/723,255

Filing Date: November 27, 2000

For: Methods for Treating and Preventing
Alopecia

Examiner: Chism, B.D.

Group Art Unit: 1653

Conf. No. 5684

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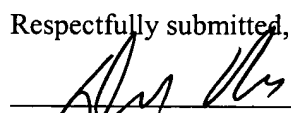
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Dear Sir:

The Applicants hereby respectfully submit amendments and remarks in response to Office Action mailed June 3, 2003.